

United States Department of Agriculture
Agricultural Marketing Service
Commodity Procurement Staff
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Room 3522-S, STOP 0239
Washington, DC 20250-0239

Information

Description: **AG-LBEF-S-15-0048**
Bid invitation number: **2000003314**
Purchasing Group: **AMS-Livestock**

SOLICITATION

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Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time
Start Date: 05/13/2015 07:00:00
Offer Due Date : 05/18/2015 13:00:00

Opening date: 05/18/2015 13:00:00

Invitation Type : Definite Delivery

Additional requested information:

Tendering text - Header :

FROZEN BEEF PRODUCTS, SOLICITATION NO: 2000003314

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell frozen beef products pursuant to the AMS Master

Solicitation for use in the National School Lunch Program and other Federal food and nutrition assistance programs. Acceptances will be announced no later than midnight, May 22, 2015. Deliveries are to be from July 1 to July 31, 2015.

This Solicitation is subject to 8(a) offerings.

Material 110261 is a hundred percent (100%) Small Business Set-Aside - See FAR 52.219-6 Notice of Small Business Set-Aside. NAICS Code 311611 - Business size 500 employees or less apply to this requirement.

Material 100158 is a fifty (50%) Small Business Set-Aside

Materials 100158 and 110261 are ten percent (10%) Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business Set-Asides.

The Solicitation may show multiple stops on some line items, however, the number of stops will be limited to a maximum of three. To determine the number of destinations review the "Tendering Text" for the lot, which will indicate the City and State for each stop. Bidders may submit different prices for each stop. However, a price is required on all line items within the lot.

Offerors who intend to use more than one processing plant and shipping point for contracts awarded under this solicitation, other than the processing plant and shipping point entered in their bids, may submit a list of their approved processing plants and shipping points on a separate sheet of paper to be uploaded in WBSCM, and to be submitted with their bids.

For offshore destinations (Puerto Rico, Hawaii, etc.), offerors have the option to choose to enter their bids direct to the offshore destination or to the port.

Purchases will be made on an f.o.b. destination basis to cities on this Solicitation. Destination quantities listed are estimates and subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient needs, market conditions, and program operations.

All prime vendors are reminded that they are prohibited from subcontracting with companies or individuals that have been suspended or debarred.

In order to submit offers on this Solicitation, Offerors must be deemed eligible by the Contracting Officer.

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Product purchased under this Solicitation will be produced according to the applicable Federal Purchase Program Specification and eligible supplier's approved technical proposal.

Offerors must reference their AMS designated laboratory in their technical proposal.

NOTE: All fees associated with microbial testing for boneless beef and ground beef items and fat analysis for ground beef products will be paid by AMS. Offers must be submitted electronically via the Web-Based Supply Chain Management System (WBSCM).

Offers submitted by any means other than WBSCM will be deemed non-responsive. Offerors must be active in WBSCM and have the required bidder roles in order to submit offers under this solicitation. Once connected, follow the on-line procedures. A "HELP" button provides detailed instructions or call (202)720-4517 for assistance.

Offerors are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver. Inquiries about the AMS Master Solicitation, dated April 2015; Supplement 211 to AMS Master Solicitation, dated March 2015; or this Solicitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA, AMS, Room 3524-South; 1400 Independence Avenue, Washington, D.C. 20250. Telephone (202)720-4517. FAX: (202)720-2782.

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See attached documents:

- 1 . AMS MASTER SOLICITATION APRIL 2015
- 2 . SUPPLEMENT TO THE AMS MASTER SOLICITATION MARCH 2015

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Attributes :

OFFEROR CERTIFIES THAT THE OFFER IS MADE SUBJECT TO THE MASTER SOLICITATION; COMMODITY SUPPLEMENT AND/OR SPECIFICATION(S); THIS SOLICITATION; THE AGRICULTURE ACQUISITION REGULATIONS (AGAR) AND THE FEDERAL ACQUISITION REGULATIONS (FAR).

Timely performance: Offeror and any subcontractor have completed required performance of any USDA contract prior to this bid opening.

- Permitted values:
- Have been delivered
 - Have not been delivered
 - Have not been delivered, but the Offeror has notified the Contracting Officer
 - There are no existing contracts/purchase orders

OFFEROR REQUESTS HUBZONE SMALL BUSINESS PRICE EVALUATION PREFERENCE. APPLIES ONLY TO FIRMS CERTIFIED IN THE SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION'S HUBZONE PROGRAM (FAR SUBPART 19.13). MUST BE THE MANUFACTURER/PRODUCER OF THE PRODUCT TO RECEIVE A PRICE PREFERENCE

Furnish name, title, phone number, fax number, and e-mail address of person submitting this bid (must be an officer of the company or a person authorized to execute contracts/purchase orders on behalf of the bidder).

IS THE OFFEROR AN ENTITY THAT HAS FILED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION IN ONE OF THE FIFTY STATES, THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OR THE VARIOUS TERRITORIES OF THE UNITED STATES? YOU MUST ANSWER THE NEXT 3 QUESTIONS IF THE ANSWER FOR THIS QUESTION IS YES.

HAS THE OFFEROR BEEN CONVICTED OF A FELONY CRIMINAL VIOLATION UNDER FEDERAL OR STATE LAW IN THE 24 MONTHS PRECEDING THE DATE OF OFFER?

HAS THE OFFEROR HAD ANY OFFICER OR AGENT OF OFFEROR CONVICTED OF A FELONY CRIMINAL VIOLATION FOR ACTIONS TAKEN ON BEHALF OF OFFEROR UNDER FEDERAL OR STATE LAW IN THE 24 MONTHS PRECEDING THE DATE OF OFFER?

DOES THE OFFEROR HAVE ANY UNPAID FEDERAL TAX LIABILITY ASSESSED, WHICH ALL JUDICIAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REMEDIES HAVE BEEN EXHAUSTED/LAPSED, THAT IS NOT BEING PAID IN A TIMELY MANNER PURSUANT TO AGREEMENT WITH THE AUTHORITY RESPONSIBLE FOR COLLECTING IT?

Offeror acknowledges receipt of the amendment(s) to the solicitation. Select N/A if no amendment was issued to the solicitation.

- Permitted values:
- Yes
 - No
 - N/A

FOR 8(A) VENDORS ONLY: Please specify the material(s) and material number(s) that you are interested in participating on this solicitation.

Bid invitation Item details

Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity
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Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity
10 BEEF, GROUND					
50 BEEF 100% PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB					
60 MILWAUKIE OR					
70	110349	BEEF 100% PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	97222	38,000 LB
80 WILKES-BARRE PA					
90	110349	BEEF 100% PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	18702	38,000 LB
100 LOT: 348183140 AUBURNDALE FL / PENSAC...					
110	110349	BEEF 100% PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	33823	14,720 LB
120	110349	BEEF 100% PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	35203	23,280 LB
Total Quantity for BEEF 100% PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB					114,000 LB
130 BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB					
140 BIRMINGHAM AL					
150	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	35210	120,000 LB
Tendering text - Item : Subject to 8(a) Offers					
160 CLANTON AL					
170	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	35045	80,000 LB
Tendering text - Item : Subject to 8(a) Offers					
180 VAN BUREN AR					
190	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	72956	40,000 LB
200 PHOENIX AZ					
210	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	85043	40,000 LB
220 LONG BEACH CA					
230	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	90806	40,000 LB
240 POMONA CA					
250	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	91767	40,000 LB
260 SACRAMENTO CA					
270	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	95814	40,000 LB
280 BOCA RATON FL					
290	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	33487	40,000 LB
300 OFFSHORE: HONOLULU HI					
310	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	96819	80,000 LB

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320 NAMPA ID						
330	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	83687	40,000	LB
340 GRANITE CITY IL						
350	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	62040	40,000	LB
360	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	62040	80,000	LB
Tendering text - Item : Subject to 8(a) Offers						
370 BOWLING GREEN KY						
380	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	42102	40,000	LB
390 LOUISVILLE KY						
400	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	40208	40,000	LB
410	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	40209	40,000	LB
420 KANSAS CITY MO						
430	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	64161	40,000	LB
440 CORINTH MS						
450	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	38835	40,000	LB
460	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	38835	80,000	LB
Tendering text - Item : Subject to 8(a) Offers						
470 JACKSON MS						
480	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	39209	120,000	LB
Tendering text - Item : Subject to 8(a) Offers						
490	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	39209	80,000	LB
Tendering text - Item : Subject to 8(a) Offers						
500 HELENA MT						
510	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	59620	80,000	LB
Tendering text - Item : Subject to 8(a) Offers						
520 CREEDMOOR NC						
530	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	27522	120,000	LB
Tendering text - Item : Subject to 8(a) Offers						
540 SALISBURY NC						
550	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	28147	40,000	LB
560 FARGO ND						
570	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	58102	40,000	LB
580 ALBUQUERQUE NM						
590	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	87102	40,000	LB
600 RENO NV						

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610	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	89512	40,000	LB
620 MILWAUKIE OR						
630	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	97222	40,000	LB
640 COAL TOWNSHIP PA						
650	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	17866	40,000	LB
660 DUNCANSVILLE PA						
670	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	16635	80,000	LB
Tendering text - Item : Subject to 8(a) Offers						
680 PHILADELPHIA PA						
690	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	19123	40,000	LB
700 WILKES-BARRE PA						
710	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	18702	40,000	LB
720 YORK PA						
730	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	17403	40,000	LB
740 CRANSTON RI						
750	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	02920	40,000	LB
760 LEXINGTON SC						
770	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	29072	40,000	LB
780 CONNELL WA						
790	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	99326	40,000	LB
800 LOT: 11245 JACKSON MS						
810	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	39206	6,000	LB
820	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	39209	34,000	LB
830 LOT: 14245 MCALESTER OK						
840	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	74501	35,600	LB
850	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	74501	400	LB
860	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	74501	4,000	LB
870 LOT: 14293 MCALESTER OK						
880	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	74501	35,600	LB
890	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	74501	400	LB
900	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	74501	4,000	LB
910 LOT: 128136766 SPRINGDALE AR/ VAN BU...						
920	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	72764	13,320	LB
930	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	72956	26,680	LB
940 LOT: 129359345 ST PAUL MN / KANSAS CI...						
950	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	55107	7,560	LB

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960	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	64161	32,440	LB
970 LOT: 184540747 EAU CLAIRE WI / MADISO...						
980	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	54703	18,800	LB
990	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	53716	21,200	LB
1000 LOT: 231325193 BOWLING GREEN KY / LOU...						
1010	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	42102	15,640	LB
1020	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	40208	12,480	LB
1030	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	40299	11,880	LB
1040 LOT: 376742480 GRAND ISLAND NE						
1050	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	68802	4,000	LB
1060	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	68802	36,000	LB
1070 LOT: 748616135 LOVELAND CO						
1080	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	80538	39,480	LB
1090	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	80538	520	LB
Total Quantity for BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB					2,280,000	LB
1100 BEEF FINE GROUND LFT OPT FRZ CTN-40 LB						
1110 DES MOINES IA						
1120	110261	BEEF FINE GROUND LFT OPT FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	50313	40,000	LB
1130 MASON CITY IA						
1140	110261	BEEF FINE GROUND LFT OPT FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	50401	40,000	LB
Total Quantity for BEEF FINE GROUND LFT OPT FRZ CTN-40 LB					80,000	LB
1150 BEEF PATTY LEAN FRZ CTN-40 LB						
1160 LOT: 116751440 FORT MILL SC / LEXINGT...						
1170	100163	BEEF PATTY LEAN FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	29715	12,160	LB
1180	100163	BEEF PATTY LEAN FRZ CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	29072	25,840	LB
Total Quantity for BEEF PATTY LEAN FRZ CTN-40 LB					38,000	LB
1190 BEEF SPP PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0 MMA CTN-40 LB						
1200 CRANSTON RI						
1210	110348	BEEF SPP PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0 MMA CTN-40 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	02920	38,000	LB
1220 LOT: 81919083 FORT MILL SC / LEXINGTO...						
1230	110348	BEEF SPP PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0 MMA CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	29715	10,160	LB

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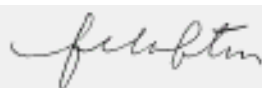
Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity	
1240	110348	BEEF SPP PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0 MMA CTN-40 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	29072	27,840	LB
Total Quantity for BEEF SPP PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0 MMA CTN-40 LB					76,000	LB

1250 8A OFFER POUNDS

Tendering text - Item : ONLY 8A COMPANIES ENTER PRICES HERE

1260 WASHINGTON DC

1270	110423	8A OFFER POUNDS	12/16/2015-12/31/2015	20250	40	LB
Total Quantity for 8A OFFER POUNDS					40	LB
Total Quantity for Invitation					2,588,040	LB



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